

# **CSAP's Northeast CAPT Schedule of Upcoming Online Courses**

## **Don't Judge a Book by Its Cover: Using Feasibility Assessment to Select Prevention Programs**

December 4-9, 2005

### **Intended Audience**

State- and community-level prevention practitioners

### **Objectives**

Participants in the course will have the opportunity to do the following:

- Identify criteria to guide the selection of an appropriate prevention program from a set of evidence-based programs
- Determine the fit among organizational capacity, community conditions, and programs requirements
- Apply a feasibility assessment model to a specific prevention program
- Define program fidelity and adaptation
- Describe elements to consider in effective program replication and adaptation

### **Description**

*Don't Judge a Book by Its Cover: Using Feasibility Assessment to Select Prevention Programs* presents a tool designed to help practitioners select an evidence-based prevention program that matches their organization's or community's capabilities. It combines readings, online activities, and moderated discussion. Course materials include planning tools, an annotated bibliography of resources on capacity-building, and links to related Web sites.

**Course Length** 1 week (5 modules)

### **Course Requirements**

Participants are expected to:

- Visit the course Web site 2-3 times per week
- Complete all online activities
- Participate regularly in online discussion (e.g., post 1-2 comments to the Discussion Board per activity)
- Complete an online evaluation

### **Technical Requirements**

- Computer with Internet access and at least 128 megabytes of RAM (memory)
- Computer capable of using Microsoft Internet Explorer, version 5.0 or higher
- Web-based e-mail account

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